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ADDRESS

39 LARGEST EVER WRITTEN

ENLIVENS BANQUET

at Annual Banquet.

WIT AND SONGS BY BRETHREN

ruses, &c .- Root Principal Guest.

of them.

President Roosevelt Tells of Nation's Strides.

**COMMENDS MANY ACTS** 

No Achievement Made Feature of Administration.

PROGRESS IS SUBSTANTIAL

Navy Has Been More Than Doubled; Panama Feats Far-reaching; Anthracite Strike Settled; Forest Reserves Quadrupled; Irrigation Advanced: Army Improved; Alaskan Dispute Adjusted; Waterways Improvements Realized Necessity, and Many Other Things Add to Chief Executive's Happiness.

On the eve of his retirement from with supreme satisfaction over the of administration.

The President gives no post of honor to any one achievement, but he has authorized the publication of those which he considers the most important as follows:

The navy of the United States has been more than doubled. It has now done what no other similar fleet of a like size has ever done-viz: Circumnavigated the globe-and it is also in far more efficient battle trim than when it started out a year ago.

Panama Canal.

The Panama Canal. No feat of quite such far-reaching importance has been to the credit of this country in recent years. "The peace of Portsmouth was a

substantial achievement, as was also in the Algerias conference. "The settlement of the anthracite

coal strike was a matter of very great moment to the American people from the standpoint not only of industrial. but of social reform and progress.

"The forest reserves of the country have been trebled or quadrupled; the Forest Service has been reorganized and placed under the Department of Agriculture, and there have been created a number of reservations for preserving the wild things of naturethe birds and beasts, as well as the

Irrigation Progress.

"In the matter of legislation, the national irrigation act, which is resulting in the development of the semiarid States, of the great plains and Rockies, is an achievement second only in importance to the creation of the homestead act itself.

"The administration of the civil government in the Philippine Islands has been put upon a satisfactory basis, "Because of American interference in Cuba the island is now in a thriving

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abandoned. It is declared by the attend- Guard. ing physicians that a short rest will rerious results need be feared.

SHOOTS HIMSELF TWICE.

Young Man Commits Suicide After Notifying Parents.

side, a prominent young man and a graduate of Harvard, in the class of 1893, killed himself with a rifle to-day at the

his hunting rifle and shot himself in of the La Salle Hotel, in Chicago with downstairs bleeding, carrying the rifle, carpets. and calmly told his parents that he had Because of the factory regulations shot himself. They tried to stop the Teddy, jr., will not receive any commisflow of blood and went to summon a doc- sion on the sale, but the officials of the tor, leaving him seated in a chair. While company have assured him they will not trast them. they were absent he fired another shot forget his services, and they say its a into his head and his parents found him mighty fine beginning for a young factory dead on their return.

EDISON SCORES COLLEGES.

Famous Inventor Says Scientific Career Is the Best,

New Haven, Feb. 27.-Thomas A. Edison, in an interview in the Yale News to-day, scored academic education as a waste of time for practical business or industrial men. He said that he thought very little of the arts part of it, and that Hogg, his brother-in-law, and was incaracademic learning was old and not up cerated in the jail at Irvine to await his to the times. He further said that the second trial for the alleged murder of scientific career spurs because it interests.

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## WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia-Partly cloudy and slightly colder to-day; to-morrow fair; light northwest to north winds.

CUTTER MOHAWK FLOATED.

Bunkers Are Lightened of Coal and Pontoons Lift Vessel.

New York, Feb. 27 .- The revenue cutter Mohawk was floated at high tide at 3 'clock this afternoon. Her bunkers were ightened of coal, and after it was renoved the vessel was quickly floated. The Mohawk rose with the tide until she was clear of the ragged point of rock on which she was stuck, and then slid \$43,000 Subscribed, With \$36,backward gently, aided by the revenue cutter Powhatan. Pontoons were lashed to both sides of the cutter as she left the shoal. She was filling fast with water and the pontoons were necessary for

uoying her up. The Mohawk, thus supported by floating rutches, was towed down the river to Shewan's dry dock, at the foot of East

Houston street, this city. The Mohawk left New London yesterday after filling her bunkers with coal. This oad caused her to draw nearly fourteen feet of water. She is a steel boat of 990 tons displacement, 26 feet long, and the pride of the cutter service.

WEALTHY SOCIALIST ILL.

on Bad Ment. Boston, Mass., Feb. 27.-Rose Pastor Stokes, wife of J. G. Phelps-Stokes, of which its fifth annual banquet in the roast beef, which she says, was tainted, members. Mr. and Mrs. Stokes are making a lecture tour of Eastern Massachusetts in aid of their socialistic beliefs. They spoke

Thursday in Amesbury. Both ate roast beef Thursday noon in office President Roosevelt looks an Amesbury hotel. Mrs. Stokes believes fered greatly that night and all day yes- scribed, with \$36,000 more in sight. accomplishments of his seven years terday. To-day she is better. Mrs. Stokes spoke in Lynn last night, but was able to

OIL INSPECTION BILL KILLED.

It and Balk. Special to The Washington Herald.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 27.-The Standard of the North Carolina legislature this conflict. evening when the bill providing for strict aspection of all eils offered for sale in his State, especially illuminating and

Oil people not only did not oppose the

Troops at Encampment.

Alleged that Soldiers Under His Command Refused to Obey Militla Officers and Were Disorderly.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27 .- To answer hitherto undreamed of. before a court-martial in the Federal of the stereopticon.

During last summer's encampment the

as a result of a slight cold, due to the Hatfield, commandant of the Thirteenth sudden change in the weather, and as a Cavalry, declared that he knew noth-Capt. M. C. Rayner, Troop D. Thir-

store him to his normal health and no se- teenth Cavalry, declared that he knew nothing of the affair, though he had taken command of Capt. Corcoran's troop day the disturbance is alleged to

THEODORE, JR., SUCCESSFUL.

Worcester, Feb. 27.-Charles C. Wood- Gets Big Order for Carpets for Factory Where He Is Employed.

Hartford Conn., Feb. 27.-Although Maj. Theodore Roosevelt, jr., will not be the home of his parents, in Brittain street, son of the President of the United States possibilities of the situation He had suffered from a nervous ailment after Thursday, his chances look good in and broke down about ten days ago, the carpet trade. The young man has al- and University clubs in this mighty which prevented him from attending to ready made a bit with the Hartford Capital," he said. "There is no doubt which prevented him from attending to ready made a hit with the Hartford Car- about that. pet Company, by which he is employed, Shortly after he arose to-day he loaded by landing a contract for the furnishing national development when the

> worker who expects some day to become a carpet salesman. So young Theodore has a promising future.

BEACH HARGIS BACK IN JAIL. Awaits Second Trial for Alleged Murder of His Father.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 27.-Beach Hargis Estill County by his bondsmen, Floyd and John Day, his uncles, and Dr. W. P. his father, Judge James Hargis, which is set for April 19 next.

J. H. Small & Sons, Florists, 14th and G sts., Washington; Waldorf-Astoria and 1153 Broadway, New York.

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Message Goes Forth from the Annual Banquet.

COST WILL BE \$350,000

000 More in Sight.

Splendid Building Proposed, Worthy as an Addition to Ranks of Similar Institutions in Nation's Capital-To Be Built at Vermont Avenue and I Street, Opposite the Arlington. Good Speeches and Good Cheer.

The University Club is about to fulfill its truly metropolitan function-that of New York, is ill in Lynn from eating New Willard last evening bore to its

been ripening for half a decade. Now the University Club is ready not merely the portion she ate was tainted. She suf- in generously, for there is \$43,000 sub-

is an inspiring vision. It will be a splen a worthy addition to the large ranks of AMEN CORNER FUN intellectual spirit, a companion piece to the Cosmos Club, although the aims of Oil Company met a defeat at the hands the two organizations will not necessarily

ubricating oils, was defeated both in I street, opposite the Arlington Hotel, Many lawmakers at first nursed an will differ radically from the marble palidea that by passing the bill they would ace which the university men have but be taking a step toward "regulating" in Fifth avenue, New York, in that four will be a modified English renaissance It represents a maximum of esthetic effeet, and utilitarian comfort for the sun

scribed, but the wealthy men of the club! will, it is planned, contribute another \$100,000, while the rank and file of the Charges of Misconduct on Part of membership will give \$50,000 toward the project. The club will bond itself for the

balance of the amount needed. fice is conceded. It will weld together of tickling themselves, and joshing, goodthe scattered stands of university circles humoredly, the great and the little men in this city. The membership will undoubtedly include the entire roster of graduates here, be they from Harvard. Eight of these dinners were celebrated Leland Stanford, Minnesota, or Tuiane, in the old Fifth Avenue Hotel, but that It will shape and crystallize the intel- hotel has been leveled to make way for a

This was the gladsome tidings which feast. charges of misconduct on the part of the men under his command when they were the news was cheered to the echo. The encamped with the National Guard of ambitious vision was borne to the club- near-statesmen, of legislators and law- which a powerful current of electricity Every sailer boy was a hero. Pennsylvania, at Gettysburg last summer, men not merely from the lips of their yers, United States Senators, and others was passing. There was a vivid flash, a Capt. Thomas M. Corcoran, Troop G, president, Dr. Charles D. Walcott, of the were present. They dined in the ballroom report as of a cannon, and the guard was Thirteenth Cavalry, U. S. A., appeared Smithsonion Institution, but on the screen of the Waldorf to-night. There were 600 thrown back sprawling into a car filled through the principal streets of the city ral address, with a view to making cer-

Thrilled the Banqueters,

When the banqueters saw a long line

lors.

The first witness, Col. Charles A. T. sis upon the "flow of soul." It was not a conventional banquet. It was not heavy or ponderous. It was a breezy result his usual Saturday audience was abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned are at the option of the Station and Stational abandoned. It is declared by the attendance of the National abandoned are at the option of the Station and Stational abandoned are at the option of the Station and California and C

The toastmaster, Henry E. Davis, who remarks of welcome, and the Ameners is a practical hand at toastmastering, had sung "The Amen Corner Psalter." gave plain warning to the speakers not to exercise their gray matter. He told them what was wanted. "Any classical allusions which accident-

ally steal their way into speeches will be referred to appropriate committees, The first speaker was Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, ex-president of the Massachu-setts Institute of Technology, and president of the Carnegie foundation fu

the advancement of teaching. always with a view to the humorous brother arose to offer a resolution that There is room for both the Cosmos

"We have now reached the stage in working scientist, or the everyday author, is quite as welcome at the White House as the politician. This is quite an achievement, in view of the condition our children. We are ready now to study

Compared with Roosevelt.

Yale, with Thomas C. Platt, of Yale. in the last three years is to-day consid New York, and from personal experience ago in Little Rock.

I can say that most of the people of J. C. Maybray, alleged leader, lived in Lexington, Ky., Feb. 27.—Beach Hargis these cities are engaged in throwing was to-day surrendered to the jailer of bricks at the man who is about to leave and with his wife moved in exclusive

"If you wish to find the political soul of society here. this country, you must go to Ohio, or Illinois, or Missouri-most of all, Missouri, Our President has the confidence of the

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LEGAL FORCES WILL CLASH.

rty valued at \$40,000,000 at stake, the legal forces representing E. H. Harriman Statesmen and Others Guests clash here in the Federal court Monday Changes Among Fleet Com- patriotic bosoms of the crowds that met in what promises to be the most hotly contested legal contests ever waged in this district.

The fight is to be over the right of the Southern Pacific Railroad, part of the Harriman system, to retain posses sion of the Oregon and California Rail-

Hundred-President Anderson Jan- PANIC ON gles Cowbell as Signal for Succes-

gers Become Crazed. New York, Feb. 27.-The deacons and the brethren of the Arien Corner have

> Seriously Hurt. New York, Feb. 37.-A brass rod fasten- the most of.

The same old crowd of statesmen and contact with the motor box, through were keeping it up at midnight to-night. with passengers, many of whom were by several thousand sailors from the tain changes relative to lereign resultions Harold M. Anderson presided. From women

time to time clanged a cowbell whose A panic was started by the excitable of regular soldlers from Fort Monroe, The anti-Japanese agitation and the remerovost guard had trouble, it is alleged, of splendid clubhouses beginning with unlovely jangle was the signal for a sucwith the men of Capt. Corcoran's troop.

It is said they refused to obey the commands of the noncommissioned officers of mands of the noncommissioned officers of the National Guard and University clubs of that city, cliphone and University clubs of that city, cliphone and University clubs of the care of their own of people lined the streets about to the President, with whom he has about to the President of Virginia Volunteer of the care of burlesques, travesties, Oriental of the Union League Club of New York, increasing the Union the National Guard and openly showed maxed with the drawing of their own itations which characterized absurdly the came to a sudden halt, hurling passeninsubordination. Division officers had a beautiful edifice-to-be, their blood was performances of some of our best known gers against each other and over seats. record of the trouble lodged with the thrilled. They could not restrain them- statesmen and politicians. Senator-elect Strong and weak were in an indiscrimi-Elihu Root, the principal guest at the nate mass.

POPE IS INDISPOSED.

War Department.

Cut Corcoran was ordered before the count martial because the commanding officer is responsible for the conduct of the men directly under him, and because the matter to supe.

All He Needs.

War Department.

Cut Corcoran was ordered before the conduct of the main table, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this with State Chairman Woodruff, Senator Chauncey M. Depew, and others.

Chauncey M. Depew, and others.

War Department.

Cut Corcoran was ordered before the count table, with Frank H. Hitchceck. Benjamin B. Odell, ir., sat at the end of another table, the "big bosses' table," the "big bosses' table," the platform, where the frightence of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans should form the epilogue of this "feast of wisdom and flow of soul," which this ambitious, albelt conservative, discussion of plans the train, which had been approaching the train, which h lifted into the arms of several policemen The diners were off at the ovsters with

QUAKE SHOCK AT CORNELL.

Instruments Record Disturbance in laid for 400 at the luncheon. Some Part of Globe.

New York. Feb. 27 .- An earthquake have been recorded on Prof. Milnes' seis- of about 400.

After a thunderstorm of cheering and a pressed what he had to say bluntly, but vague attack upon the oysters, a staid mograph on the Isle of Wight. the Amen Corner call upon all patriotic citizens to express their thanks for their survival during the last seven years by standing, with bowed heads, relieved from all occupation, for a period of five

To the corner that's to-night our host;
Its traditions will forever last,
Its golden memories bind us fast,
Here have sat in bygone years
Statesmen, warriors, scribes, and seers;
They're passing, their roof tree's gone,

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FAKE SPORTS SWINDLE MANY. as they prevailed within the memory of Farmers, Bankers, and Others in West

Fleeced Out of \$1,060,000. Omaha, Nebr., Feb. 27.-That \$1,000,000 was extracted from the pockets of the Compare Theodore Roosevelt, of Har- Middle West farmers, cattlemen, and vard, with the Hon Bois Penrose, of bankers by the Council Bluffs "fake" Harvard, or William Howard Taft, of wrestling matches, prize fights, and races Comment is unnecessary. By a curious ered a conservative statement. The process of retrogression I have lived, sucssively, in Washington, Boston, and erated by the gang captured a few days

and, with his wife, moved in exclusive

Blackistone's Home-grown Violets Special Inauguration Trains.

Special inauguration trains.
Southern Railway will operate special trains from Danville and Lynchburg and from Harrisonburg and Strasburg, Va., to Washington early morning, March 4, arriving Washington about 9 a. m.; returning, leave Washington 11.45 p. m. same date, after fireworks display. Consult agents.

We have just the lumber you want.

Involves \$40,000,000. Portland, Oreg., Feb. 27.-With prop

road Company's land grant.

Electricity Causes Fire and Passen-

The stimulating effect of this new edi- heid nine annual dinners for the purpose People Are Hurled About and Tram- number of tens of thousands gave the President Roosevelt, but the Chief Expled, but a Guard Is Only One

lectual life of Washington to an extent big office building, and the Ameners were ed to the bottom of a shade and pulled Never so many people were on the at 6:30 o'clock. forced to move uptown for their ninth down hastily by a guard on a Third Ave- streets here before at once. They com- Again Judge Taft called at the White

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## **NEWBERRY CONFERS**

UKLOK STATIOK

manders at Hand.

SAILORS PARADE IN NORFOLK

Several Thousand Bluejackets is hursday to take the reins of the Streets and Cheer Wildly-Officers only a crowd of well-selects, who were Are Given Reception and Lunch- willing to withhold their cheers of ap-

officially set apart for the welcoming of dent had gone for a ride before the mes

fleet, re-enforced by several companies and other matters of less importance. Fourth Regiment of Virginia Volunteer cial attention at the conference.

Admiral E. D. Taussig, commandant of slons, the promised tariff revisions, and the Nerfolk Navy Yard, was the official other matters of equal importance will reviewing officer of the parade. With him come in for an informal discussion. were two hundred other distinguished Another thing the President-elect wishes

a reception and luncheon were tendered the naval officers at the Monticello Hotel. To this many army officers, regulars and though Judge Taft is equally well posted.

of the regular army, as their guests, were shock was recorded on the selsmograph taken care of at the big new Rockefeller at the geological department of Cornell Naval Y. M. C. A. after the parade. at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At the There they were given a real banquet in to the Boardman home and spent the same time a great shock is reported to the gymnasium. They served in squads evening quietly.

> To-night a torchlight procession, comparade traversed.

was not made known. It is supposed that among the comamnding officers of the

The battle-ship Rhode Island to-day left of sleep. Hampton Roads for the New York Navy Yard, the New Jersey for Boston, and TOM JOHNSON TO BE LAWYER.

PHILIPPINE ASSEMBLY FAILS. Lack of Ability May Prevent Inde-

pendence This Century.

Manila, Feb. 27.-Little hope for Philippine independence within the present century is entertained here. The second session of the first Philippine assembly, which convened the first Monday in Feb ruary, has proved, insular officials declare, the incompetency of the Filipinos o conduct an autenomous government. Only one bill of the 140 introduced and passed by the native legislature has been approved by the Philippine Commission. which sits as an upper house, and must approve all enactments before they can become operative.

All of the measures passed by the assembly except the one approved by the

Special prices for the small buyer,

## BACK IN CAPITAL

FIVE CENTS.

Crowd Greets Judge Taft at Union Station.

GOES TO WHITE HOUSE

Roosevelt Out for Ride and Conference Is Postponed.

Many Things the Coming Executive Wishes to Talk Over with the President-Takes Trip in Automobile About the City-Has Not Been Allowed to Take Much-needed Rest. Will Attend Church To-day.

Jolly and laughing, and bringing with nim all readiness to enter the White House next Thursday, President-elect Taft arrived in Washington at 3:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon-the last time as a private citizen for at least the next four

The President-elect was accompanied by Mrs. Taft, and he and the next first lady of the land were driven in a big they will live until the inauguration.

Greeted by Crowd A surging mass of humanity was at the gates at the Union Station to get a

was with difficulty that he and Mrs. Taft

waiting for them slightly excited over seeing a President, WITH THE OFFICERS ver seen an occupant of the White House. The nearness of the inauguration. too, may have been partly responsible

for the unusual warming up of the

Mr. and Mrs. Taft. When the big machine gave its final starting nuff the hundreds of men and women and children who had follow d he President-elect's party to the plaza of the station waved their hands and handkerchiefs, wisking a scient farewell intil Indge Tati hat Procession-Throngs of People Line overnment. There was a disturbance;

proval until inauguration day

After remaining at the Boardmen redence a few minutes. Judge Taft went Norfolk, Va., Feb. 27.-Enthusiastic in another automobile to the White people of this city and visitors to the House, hoping to have a conference with men of the Atlantic battle-ship feet an ecutive had not received a telegram sent ovation here to-day. It was the day and the mission was fruitless. The Presithe fleet by the city, and it was made sage was received, but attendants toll the President-elect that he would return

nue "L" train at noon to-day came into menced celebrating early in the day, and House at 6:30 o'clock, but the President was still enjoying his ride, and a conference was arranged for this morning. The President-elect and the present The big event of the day was a parade Chief Executive will go over the inaugu-

> Throngs of people lined the streets about to the President, with whom he has through which the parade passed. Build- enjoyed such cordial relations during the ings were gayly decorated with flags and Roosevelt administration. The policy of the government toward the island posses-

To Talk of Canal. to talk to the President about is the Pan-As a guard of lionor around the review- ama Canal and the work to be done thereing stand were veterans of the Union during the next administration. Presiand the Confederacy. After the parade dent Roosevelt has been a student of canal conditions for many years, and, alvolunteers, and many people prominent he wants to get the President's ideas of civil life were invited. Covers were the finishing touches to be put on the

When the President-elect left the Whita The saflor boys and the enlisted men House yesterday afternoon he took an automobile ride around to a few points of interest in the city and then out to the Potomac flats, after which he returned

No Special Plans.,

This morning he will attend All Souls' osed of automobiles, wagons, and drays, Unitarian Church, and from there he will passed through the same streets that the go to the White House. During the afternoon he will take a walk, but as yet Secretary of the Navy Newberry arrived there are no special plans made for him. o-day in Hampton Roads, aboard the He said last night that he had not been Mayflower. He was in conference with allowed to obtain the much-needed rest for which he went to his brother's home his visit had to do with coming changes in New York, and in all probability an President retiring for his good eight hours

> Mayor of Cleveland Has Registered an Student.

> Cleveland, Feb. 27.-Mayor Tom Johnson to-day indicated what his occupation will be when he ceases to be mayor of Cleveland next fall. He registered with the clerk of the State Supreme Court, as prescribed by statute, as a prospective Johnson has left his \$200,000 Euclid ave-

nue house and is now living in a \$185 flat.

Account Inauguration, March 4.
All regular passenger train schedules
Bluemont Branch, Southern Railway, will
be represented with exception Train No.
133 for Bluemont, scheduled to leave
Washington 2:50 p. m. This train will on Washington 5.36 p. in. Thursday, March 4, not leave Washington at that hour, but will run out of Washington at 12 o'clock midnight. This change is for benefit of those desiring to remain in Washington to witness the fireworks and other attractions that night.

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